

WOULD YOU ACCEPT A PRESENT OF A \$500 STONE PIANO

We are Going to Make Some Lady of the Northland a Present of One in Return for a Few Minutes of Her Spare Time Each Day in the Next Six Weeks—Would You Like to be Her? We are Offering the Ladies of the Northland this Opportunity—All You have to do is to Imitate the Beaver.

The expression, "Work like a beaver," is as old as America. This industrious animal accomplishes more perhaps than any other twenty species of the animal kingdom combined.

It cuts down trees and dams rivers with them. Sometimes it finds it hard to get trees around its home to repair its dam. Does it hang around idle waiting for some one else to do it? Not for a minute. Mrs. Beaver goes up stream, chews down a few trees and floats them down to the dam and gets busy. If you find it hard at first to find votes, do not despair and sit around idle. Do as the beaver does—go out where they are and get them. There are a hundred of them, yea, thousands of them for you if you seek them but far enough. If you find them hard to get close around you, go abroad—invade the enemy's country—get votes from her own citadel. The more votes you get the fewer she will have. Let your motto be "Get Votes." That is what you want and that is what you will get if you make up your mind to remember that diligence is the mother of good luck.

DO NOT BE A DREAMER

Day dreams are nice things, but they never materialize. If you want anything in this world you must go after it. Do not be like the Absinthe drinker, full of effervescence dreams. A hotel manager at Palm Beach, Florida, tells a little story on one of his class. Here it is: "Hotel managers sometimes have to listen to a lot of things that do not interest them. It is part of their business to do that. An Absinthe drinker once undertook to explain to me what I ought to do to perfect the advertising of my hostelry. 'What you ought to do,' he said, as he flicked the ashes off his cigarette, 'is to arrange for a searper to show down the beach. It could be done for a few hundred dollars and the advertising you would get in the northern papers (at \$1.75 a line, that he didn't mention) would double the number of tourists coming here. Get the idea? Leave it to me, I know.'

"I looked about me carefully to see if any one could overhear what I had to say to the fellow. Then I replied, 'Old man, your idea is great, but I have one that knocks the spots off that. I have just arranged to have a battalion of trained lobsters down on the beach every day this season. I promised an old pal of mine in Newport not to compete with him in the sea-sepente game, so I arranged with one of Barnum & Bailey's men to get me a battalion of trained lobsters. But don't breathe a word of it to anybody.' The fellow replied, 'Holy Smoke! That's got the other backed off the map, a mile, hasn't it?'

BE CAREFUL

Do not get hallucinations like this. They are bad for you mentally and bad for you physically. If you want a thing make up your mind to have it and the rest is easy. Do not sit and think how nice it would be to have it, but just go out and get busy. Tell your friends you want it; that you are going after it and that you are going to get it and you are sure to get it.

MUSIC IS THE SOUL OF HARMONY

Music is the soul of Harmony. It acts on the human mind and heart as an emotional elixir that reaches

The useful, valuable "Opportunity Week" Prize is a twenty-four inch leather-lined lady's suit case, made of full stock cowhide, with shirt-waist folds, full solid brass trimmings and straps, valued at and selling for \$12.50. This case is made of the best material obtainable, is perfect in every respect and was purchased of, guaranteed by and is on display in the window of the store of Bye & Peterson, the well known clothiers of Brainerd.

This handsome prize is one that with a little care will last an ordinary person a lifetime. It is made of the finest leather obtainable and is the finished product of skilled workmen. This case was chosen by Mr. Peterson himself as he considered it the finest one he had in stock and the best value obtainable for the money.

NOTE—Each new year's subscription to the Daily Dispatch will be counted as two six months subscriptions; two years, four.

NOTE—Votes will be issued on all subscriptions and count the same as usual toward the Mammoth, Capital, Grand and District Prizes.

See display ad elsewhere in this edition.

Are you going to win this suit case? You can if you make up your mind to.

the very soul of our inner being, wafting our emotions to and fro like reeds in a wind. There is music in all things, had we but ears to hear it, weird music whose charms soothe the most savage breast. The whole world at times seems to forget itself when moved by a concord of sweet sounds, we become so enchanted by them, that without them things would indeed seem dull and dreary.

The Stone Piano which the Dispatch is going to give to some lady of the Northland, is a musical instrument of the mellowest of tones. If you love good music you must have a good instrument to obtain it. If you want to hear it as you never heard it before, with a beauty and expression of tone entirely new, be sure and hear the Stone Piano the Dispatch is going to give away.

TREASURE OF A LIFETIME

Back six thousands years ago, to the reign of Remmi in Egypt, the beautiful blue white diamond was regarded as the most sacred of treasures. Even then it was lost, and whole countries devastated in the greedy desire for the sparkling white carbons. In recent years we have the more familiar example of that greedy powerful nation, Great Britain, reaching out hungry hands to crush a mere handful of people in the Orange Free state and Transvaal to submission for the earth's most priceless gems, diamonds.

The beautiful blue white twin diamonds, valued at \$100 and selected by E. S. Houghton from his stock of selected stones, are the most perfect of their size ever seen in Brainerd.

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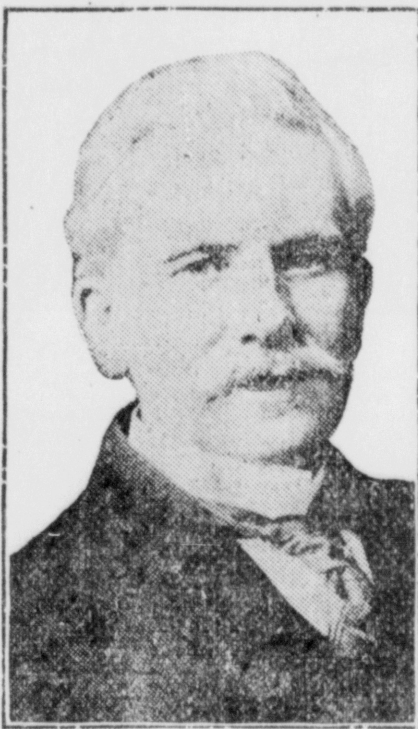
No Royalties Called "Baby." One noteworthy feature about royalties is that none has been called "baby." From their earliest years the royal children are always called by their names or possibly by some pet name, but an English prince or princess is never called "baby" either by relatives or by his or her nurses. From the age of five a prince is styled "sir" by his attendants and a princess "madam."—London M. A. P.

Elbow Grease.

Thousands of people in small positions whine because their talents are thrown away, because their ability has no elbow room. It is not elbow room they need; it is "elbow grease." It is energy and strength. Their very whining shows they are too small for the place they are in now. When the right kind of person has too small a place he does his work so well as to make the place bigger.—Baron Briggs.

JOHN KIRBY, JR.

Again Chosen President of Manufacturers' Association.



OHIO MAN AGAIN ELECTED

Kirby Chosen President of Manufacturers' Association.

New York, May 19.—John Kirby, Jr., of Dayton, O., was re-elected president of the National Association of Manufacturers and the association adjourned. The annual banquet was held at the Waldorf-Astoria. The association will meet in New York again next year.

A bit of sentiment was infused into the closing hours of the convention with the adoption of the report of the committee on industrial education.

President Kirby again criticized the American Federation of Labor and the National Civic Federation, of which Seth Low is president and President a Seth Low is president and President Taft a member.

PICTURES AND DATA OF UNUSUAL VALUE

Scientists Obtain Photographs of Halley's Comet.

Yerkes Observatory, Williams Bay, Wis., May 19.—As the world passed through the tail of Halley's comet astronomers at the Yerkes observatory here secured photographs and accurate records of meteoric phenomena. The atmospheric conditions were nearly perfect for work with the camera and telescope. The pictures and data are considered of unusual value and may develop scientific information and theories of unexpected importance.

Despite a spectacular display of aurora lights which moved across the sky from east to west, Professor Frost, in charge of the observatory, and Professor Mitchell of New York do not connect the phenomena directly with the comet. The aurora lights followed the observation of three huge sun spots late in the afternoon.

"While the glow of the comet's tail is readily discernible," said Professor Frost, "we have observed little striking positive phenomena that can be attributed to Halley's comet. But that does not lessen the value of negative observations secured."

According to first computations from observations made here the earth entered the million-mile broad tail of the comet at a speed of slightly more than forty-six miles per second. At this juncture the eminent scientists gathered here agreed that the passage would occupy a period of little more than five hours.

WAR OVER LUMBER RATES

To Be Resumed Between Railroads and Manufacturers.

Washington, May 19.—According to information received in Washington, another war between railroads and lumber manufacturers over lumber rates between Seattle and Minneapolis is to begin next fall. The interstate commerce commission's order fixing the rate on lumber between these points at 45 cents per hundred expires Oct. 15, after having been in effect two years.

The railroads have filed notice of an advance in rates on many commodities between Chicago and Minneapolis, to take effect June 1, and, according to word reaching Washington, said to be from high officials of the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern, the commission's decision in the Spokane case and the expiration of the two-year limit on lumber rate is announced.

This new interstate commerce law is expected to be in force by the time the low rates on lumber are made, and it is expected that the decision of the commission relative to the proposed advance will not be delayed as long as it was when the attack was made on the 50-cent rate two years ago.

The new bill gives the commission authority to suspend the application of a proposed low rate until it has been given an opportunity to investigate and determine its reasonableness and it is certain that this authority will be exercised in this case.

Given a Year for Larceny.

Linton, N. D., May 19.—For grand larceny, to which he pleaded guilty, Frank Keefe was sentenced to a term of one year in the penitentiary.

SHOOTING TOO GOOD FOR THEM

Speaker Cannon Scores Republican Progressives.

REPUBLICANS HAVE MAJORITY

Control Both Houses of Congress, Yet Are Under the Sway of What "Uncle Joe" Terms Mistaken People—Asks Manufacturers to Make a Manly Fight for the Republican Party at Next Congressional Election.

New York, May 19.—Shooting were too gentlemanly a fate for certain Republican progressives, thundered Speaker Cannon as he addressed the annual banquet of the National Association of Manufacturers at the Waldorf-Astoria.

"You believe we have a majority of forty-four in the house of representatives and two-thirds of the United States senate," said the speaker, "and yet we are under the sway—I will not say of dishonest—of mistaken people and now and then a demagogue seeking power; and I can pick out among them men who would have competed with Judas, who betrayed his Master."

"We have a great president and a Republican majority, yet we cannot say whether there are not enough cowards to flock with the Populistic Democratic minority and leave us without an efficient Republican majority."

"If there were two armies drawn up in actual conflict do you know what would be done with such men?"

"Shoot them," cried one of the diners.

Too Honorable a Death.

"Shoot them!" thundered the speaker. "Shoot them! That would be too honorable a death for them. Hanging would be their fate."

"It is in the essence of popular good that majorities should rule and be held responsible for their mistakes. Therefore I ask you to make a manly fight for the Republican party, so that when the polls close in November next you may give a majority to the Republicans in the house of representatives, and hold it responsible, or give a majority to the Democratic-Populistic minority."

"In 1912 we elect a president. On March 4 the present congress goes out of existence. If I were a mere partisan I'd like to see the Democrats have full power in both houses, so that they would be forced, because of their opposition to the Payne tariff law, to act upon their pretensions and enact a new tariff law. Then they'd have to defend rather than misrepresent the present tariff law. They'd have a baby of their own to protect."

"If I were a mere partisan I'd welcome Dooliver, Bristow, La Follette and Clapp of Minnesota joining hands with Champ Clark and company. But that would bring sorrow, shortened wages and misery to millions of heartbroken; therefore, as a man of seventy-four, who will soon be where I will wear either a muslin or asbestos halo, I'd rather march to defeat in the future than to have our Populist, or so called progressive friends, reaping a victory."

FIRE MYSTERY IS SOLVED

Elevator Was Burned to Cover Up Theft of Grain.

Minot, N. D., May 19.—A flurry in wheat was the cause of the \$60,000 blaze at Kenmare last month, according to the confession made by Conrad H. Dahl, a nineteen-year-old boy, and Fritz Prunk Hanson, thirty years old, his alleged accomplice, who were arrested on the charge of arson.

On April 25 a fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the Kenmare Farmers' elevator with its contents, estimated at 5,000 bushels of grain—a nearby cement factory and several barns in that vicinity, the total loss amounting to about \$60,000.

Dahl, who is the son of the elevator agent, had been left in charge during his father's absence of several weeks. According to the lad's story, on April 10 he evolved a scheme for making a little easy money and took into his confidence Hanson, then employed as a waiter in a Kenmare restaurant.

It was their original plan to sell a few wagon loads of the grain and retain the money. Hanson, however, had higher views on the financial question. A few wagon loads were not enough of the chance for him and he amended the plan so as to dispose of several carloads and in order to cover up their tracks burn the elevator.

Two carloads were shipped to a Minneapolis commission house, from which they received \$2,500. Hanson himself going to Minneapolis to get the money, \$1,800 of which he received in cash, the remainder payable to Minot, where he cashed the draft, but, unaccustomed to having that amount of money, lent \$750 to a friend.

The friend purchased an auto and the cat slipped out of the bag. An investigation was started and a sufficient clue to warrant the arrest of Dahl was secured.

J. N. Engdahl of Kenmare went to Fergus Falls, Minn., where he saw Dahl and secured enough of a confession to arrest Hanson at Kenmare.

Both Dahl and Hanson were confronted by the evidence and confessed. Later they waived preliminary examination before Judge Davis, Dahl being admitted to bail.

JAMES S. SHERMAN.

Vice President Defends the Taft Administration.



ASSAILS IOWA SENATORS

Vice President Sherman Also Defends Taft Administration.

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 19.—At the first anniversary celebration of the Lincoln Voters' league, held here, Vice President Sherman and Senator Burrows of Michigan were the principal speakers. The address of the vice president was devoted to a defense of the Taft administration. He reviewed the work accomplished since Mr. Taft assumed office and declared that at no time since the Civil war had the country been as prosperous as it is now.

He bitterly assailed the two Iowa "insurgent" senators for their utterances at a political mass meeting held at Des Moines last week.

Their speeches were a reflection on the honesty and integrity of the president and the majority of Republicans in both houses of congress, declared the vice president.

CONSECRATION OF SIX BISHOPS IN ST. PAUL

Distinguished Prelates Take Part in Ceremonies.

St. Paul, May 19.—Thirteen million Roman Catholics in the United States and hosts of others throughout the world, from Pope Pius X. to the lowliest peasant, turned their minds toward St. Paul today when the six newly appointed bishops took the vows which place them in the episcopacy.

The consecration ceremonies were held on the grounds of St. Paul's seminary, Groveland Park. Among those present were the papal delegate, Diomedeo Falconi, the highest Catholic dignity in the United States; three archbishops, John Ireland of St. Paul, S. G. Messmer of Milwaukee and Feugus P. MacEvey of Toronto, Can., the official representative of the Canadian Catholics; 10 monsignors, 20 bishops, 450 priests and 150 seminarians.

Those created bishops are: Right Rev. J. J. Lawler of St. Paul, auxiliary bishop of St. Paul; Right Rev. James O'Reilly of Minneapolis, bishop of Fargo, N. D.; Right Rev. Patrick H. Heffron of St. Paul, bishop of Winona; Right Rev. Vincent Wehrle of Duluth, N. D., bishop of Bismarck, N. D.; Right Rev. Timothy Corbett of Duluth, bishop of Crookston; Right Rev. J. N. Busch of St. Paul, bishop of Lead, S. D.

Consecration ceremonies were conducted within St. Paul's chapel in the seminary grounds. The procession to the chapel commenced promptly at 9:30 o'clock. The St. Thomas cadets led the procession, followed by the seminarians, who in turn were followed by the priests, next the bishops, then the bishops who were to be consecrated, the monsignors, the archbishops and finally the archbishop and the papal delegate.

Archbishop Ireland was the consecrator, assisted by Bishop McGolrick of Duluth and Bishop Trobec of St. Cloud. Assistant priest to the consecrator, Rev. L. J. Gibbons of St. Mary's church, St. Paul.

Deacon of the mass, Rev. A. Ogulin of St. Paul; subdeacon, Rev. O. Erren of Minneapolis. Deacons of honor, Rev. J. C. Byrne of Minneapolis and Rev. Paul Rolquin of St. Paul.

Number of priests within the chapel rail, sixty, not including the bishops. Time consumed in conducting the services, three and a half hours.

Dinner was served to the assembled guests at 1 o'clock. The afternoon was devoted to taking visitors sight-seeing through the Twin Cities.

Children Suffocated in Tool Box.

Boise, Ida., May 19.—Locked in a tool box in the woodshed at their home in South Boise, the bodies of Agnes and Willie Schier, children of Harry Schier, were discovered after a search that lasted all night. They had been suffocated. It is presumed the children were at play in the large tool box and drew down the lid, which was self-locking.

Politeness is like an air cushion—there's nothing in it, but it eases the joints wonderfully.

WILL BE FIGHT TO A FINISH

CASE PUZZLES WICKERSHAM

Butter Trust Proves to Be a Perplexing Problem.

MAY BE UNABLE TO PROSECUTE

Department of Justice Admits That It Is Considered Doubtful If the Government Can Take Action Against the Alleged Combine at Elgin, Ill. Sherman Anti-Trust Act, It Is Said, Would Not Apply.

Washington, May 19.—The so called butter trust, with headquarters at Elgin, Ill., is proving a hard proposition for the department of justice, and it is considered doubtful if the government can take action against it.

When a special committee of the senate began investigating the high cost of living months ago it found that a few men, meeting in Elgin daily, practically fixed the price of butter for the whole country.

The department of justice immediately seized upon the information and sent special agents to Elgin to investigate. Also it ordered the United States district attorney's office at Chicago to get busy with its probe.

After weeks of probing, however, the department admitted that it does not know exactly how to proceed. It is in possession of information, it was said, that is damaging enough, but so far none of the legal sharps has been able to find a law under which proceedings that had a chance of success might be brought. The Sherman anti-trust act, it was said, would not apply.

In order to look over the facts himself, Attorney General Wickersham ordered James H. Wilkerson, assistant United States attorney at Chicago, to come to Washington. Mr. Wilkerson arrived and conferred with the attorney general.

It is possible that, if the department finds it impossible to take proceedings against the butter trust, the state of Illinois may institute proceedings.

MUST SPECIFY WHICH TERM

North Dakota Court Decides Senatorial Candidate Case.

Bismarck, N. D., May 19.—The supreme court of the state handed down a decision in which it held petitions of candidates for senator at the primary election must specify which term they are running for—the long or short.

The case was put up to the supreme court when Secretary of State Blaisdell accepted and filed petitions merely stating the filers were candidates for the "position of United States senator." Thomas F. Marshall of Oakes started mandamus proceedings for the purpose of requiring the secretary to refuse to file the petition of Edward Engerud, who filed as candidate for the senatorship and did not designate which term he was after.

The second vacancy was caused by the death of Senator Johnson and it appears that the framers of the primary law had not provided for a contingency of this kind, when two candidates are running for the United States senate in the same year.

The decision is accepted as a victory for the progressive faction of the Republican party in North Dakota. The action was begun by Mr. Marshall and Mr. Gronna filing for the United States senate demanding of Secretary of State Blaisdell, stalwart, that he file their names for the long and short term respectively, which he refused to do. The matter of Mr. Engerud's filing was thereupon carried to the supreme court.

Mr. Engerud and his running mate, Senator McCumber, both stalwarts, held there should be no listing of the candidates for senator, but that the one which received the most votes should get the longest term and the next highest the short term. The progressives held this was in violation of the spirit of the primary law, as it took from the hands of the people the process of selection.

SOUTH DAKOTA MAN KILLED

Ralph Purvis the Only Person to Die in Arizona Hotel Blaze.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 19.—Every guest of the Hotel Adams, destroyed by fire Tuesday night, has now been accounted for. Only one person was killed, Ralph Purvis of Draper, S. D., dropping dead from heart failure when the fire was discovered. It was at first reported that only seventy-one of the 100 guests had been found.

Governor Stone and his wife were guests at the hotel. They escaped by means of a ladder, the fire escapes having been cut off by the flames. The loss is estimated at \$2,000.

Train Kills Two Carpenters.

Sioux City, Ia., May 19.—An extra freight on the Omaha road struck a track tricycle about five miles east of this city, instantly killing George Burch and Hugh Doherty, bridge carpenters.

No Compromise Probable on Railroad Bill.

STAND BY THE PROGRESSIVES

Senate Democrats Refuse to Accept the Overtures of the Aldrich Forces to Unite With the Latter in Voting for the Elimination of the Capitalization Sections of the Measure—Much Ado Over Alleged Remarks of President Taft.

Washington, May 19.—It is to be a fight to a finish in the senate on the remaining sections of the railroad bill. Negotiations for the all around understanding as to amendments sought by the tired and hard pressed regulars apparently are off for the present. Many of the Democrats, anxious to wind up the season and get back to their constituents, would be glad to cut out of the bill the three sections regulating stock and bond issues as a means of hastening its passage. But all the Democrats cannot be brought to agree to this programme. In the first place, they hold that the regulation of stock and bond issues of railroads is of vital importance to the public interest—of greater importance perhaps than the prevention of re-bating and other discriminatory practices. The Democrats and the progressive Republicans will not agree to dropping the three sections dealing with railroad capitalization until the effort has been made to strike out some of the provisions of the sections as prepared by Attorney General Wickersham and write into them safeguards against stock watering and extravagant bond issues.

If these efforts are defeated by the regulars, then the Democrats will unite with the progressives to eliminate those sections from the bill as containing more evil than good.

Refuse to Accept Overtures.

Another reason why many Democrats refuse to accept the overtures of the Aldrich forces to unite with the latter in voting for the elimination of the capitalization sections is that the minority refuses to take any course that will prove objectionable to the allies across the center aisle, through whose co-operation so many important amendments have been placed in the bill. These Democrats insist that it is the duty of the minority to stand to the end with the progressive Republicans.

In this situation all that can be done by Democrats and progressives is to continue their efforts day by day to wring concessions from the regulars, even if the final passage of the bill is indefinitely delayed and the session prolonged into the dog days. The persistence of the progressives has been rewarded again and again since the debate began by forcing the regulars to accept amendments which were at first flatly rejected by them. It is not at all impossible that the same results may attend further debate on the necessity of amending the capitalization sections.

Much ado has been made regarding alleged remarks made by President Taft at last Saturday night's White House conference of senators and later to newspaper men derogatory to the progressives. It has been alleged that these remarks of the president, having been repeated to the progressives, caused the latter to pull away from a tentative agreement as to the remaining amendments to be written into the bill. Progressive senators said that these stories were entirely without foundation. They did not care particularly what the president said about them and anything he might have said or may say will have no effect on their course.

Doubt is expressed by them that Mr. Taft made the remarks attributed to him.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

Milwaukee, 7; Toledo, 2. Indianapolis, 7; St. Paul, 3. Minneapolis, 4; Louisville, 3. Columbus, 2; Kansas City, 0.

National League.

Pittsburg, 8; Boston, 5. Chicago, 3; Brooklyn, 2. St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 2. New York, 10; Cincinnati, 6.

American League.

New York, 6; St. Louis, 3. Washington, 4; Cleveland, 3. Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.

Western League.

Omaha, 11; Denver, 1. Sioux City, 9; Topeka, 3. Lincoln, 12; St. Joseph, 5. Des Moines, 7; Wichita, 6.

Three I League.

Dubuque, 2; Danville, 1. Peoria, 10; Rock Island, 7. Waterloo, 2; Springfield, 0. Bloomington, 4; Davenport, 2.

Fatally Crushed by Piano.

Grand Forks, N. D., May 19.—While unloading a heavy piano from a dray, Jake Harris, twenty-seven years old, slipped in such a manner as to bring the heavy instrument down on him. One edge of the piano caught him across the chest, and he died an hour and a half later, after being removed to the hospital.

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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John H. Ward went to Staples today.

George Weaver went to Ft. Ripley today.

Ed. Lyson, of Motley, is in the city today.

Thomas Halladay went to Anoka today.

A. B. Seitz, of Duluth, is in the city today.

Jule Jamieson arrived from Klondike today.

Fresh cream received daily at Brockway & Parkers. 297-tf

Thomas Keating came in from Deerwood today.

Miss Clara M. Barker went to Minneapolis today.

Harry Patek went to Minneapolis this morning.

Mrs. J. P. Saunders arrived from Deerwood today.

S. E. Parks, of Pillager, was in the city yesterday.

H. S. Schwontz, of Pillager, was in Brainerd yesterday.

Nicolas Lehman, of Hubert, was in Brainerd yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Alden, of Staples, is visiting in the city.

Wm. Sheldon, of St. Paul, is in the city on business.

John Williams, of Little Fork, was in the city yesterday.

Harold Saunders came in from Deerwood this noon.

Fresh cream received daily at Brockway & Parkers. 297-tf

L. H. Fairbanks, of Minneapolis was in the city yesterday.

C. R. Skillings arrived from Bay Lake on this noon's train.

H. G. INGERSOLL

DENTIST

Room 6, Walverman Block
Brainerd, Minn.

Miss Amy Taylor, of Merrifield, was in the city yesterday.

J. B. McLean, of Duluth, was in the city yesterday on business.

Miss Myrtle Thorton, of Pine River, arrived in the city today.

R. DeLury, sheriff of Cass county, went through to St. Paul today.

Alfred Jussila is now working in Dopelius, near New York Mills.

W. H. Gage, of Minneapolis, is transacting business in the city.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 718 Front street, upstairs. 297-tf

F. C. Peterson, of St. Paul, transacted business in the city yesterday.

J. A. Schudicker, of Staples, transacted business in the city yesterday.

Senator S. F. Alderman went to St. Paul today on professional business.

Fresh cream received daily at Brockway & Parkers. 297-tf

John W. Curo, county surveyor of Cass county, arrived on the noon train.

Thomas R. Foley, Jr., of Aitkin, transacted business in the city yesterday.

Victor Lund has gone to Milwaukee, Wis., where he is working in a foundry.

Fresh cream received daily at Brockway & Parkers. 297-tf

Frank Ramsey and Gerald Evans, of the Bijou theatre went to Minneapolis today.

Mrs. Val Furst went to Buffalo, N. D., today to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Miss Warren and Mrs. Norby arrived from St. Paul today and will visit at Deerwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Hill are the proud parents of a baby girl which arrived last week.

Mrs. M. Southey, of Minneapolis, arrived today to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Williams.

The North Star society will give a dance next Thursday evening in Odd Fellows hall. 292t

Edward Boppel went to St. Cloud today on business connected with the Brainerd Brewing Co.

DR. BRUNS, the eye specialist will be at Hotel Ransford May 25 and 26. Eyes examined free. 2t

Mrs. C. Nash went to Minneapolis this morning to visit her mother who is reported to be very sick.

W. A. Shea, of Perham, proprietor of the Merchant's hotel there, returned to his home yesterday.

Mrs. Hap Stanley arrived from Minneapolis today. Her husband is the operator at the Unique theatre.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164, John Coates Liquor Co. 282tf

F. L. Hill, the Pine River bank, arrived in Brainerd today and continued on his way to Parkers Prairie.

Mrs. Smiley and family, of Duluth, arrived today and will occupy the J. F. Dykeman farm in the country.

Rev. W. J. Horner, of Grand Marais will preach morning and evening on Sunday at the People's church.

A new smoke stack is being erected on the power station near the N. P. sanitarium. The stack is about 50 feet high.

J. W. Porter and daughters, the Misses Jennie and Ethel Porter, of Crow Wing were visiting in the city yesterday.

Miss Ida Fricke, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Werner Hemstead, returned to her home in Papillion, Neb., today.

OCCIDENT

Costs More

Does More

Mrs. W. H. McClure, a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Holcomb, returned to her home in Grand Forks today.

The "Holy City" Co., which played at Superior to a good house last night, passed through Brainerd today on its way to St. Cloud.

Clyde H. Peck, of Bemidji, was given room 13 at a local hotel yesterday on comet day. Mr. Peck has survived the coincidence.

Mrs. William Bredfeld, formerly of Brainerd but now of Hancock, Minn., is visiting the families of Frank Bredfeld and Otto Reinhardt.

Melvin Larson, of Crow Wing, employed on one of the drills there, had the misfortune to hurt his hands while working near a pulley.

Train No. 55, the Staples passenger, hit a cream colored Jersey cow this noon near the shop yards and presumably killed the bovine.

Another Big Sheet Music Sale on Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21, we will sell any copy of sheet music in the store at 10c a copy. W. W. Kimball Co., Laurel street. 295-tf

Dr. C. A. Nelson applied the mallein test to a consignment of horses at the N. P. yards here, and the tubercular test to some cows yarded there.

C. J. O'Connell, of Minneapolis, who is about to open his assay office in Deerwood, was in the city yesterday.

WHITE WYANDOT EGGS

From full blooded hearty birds. Excellent layers and good sized fowls for eating. Setting of 13 eggs \$1.00. Phone orders to 132-R, W. W. Michael, E. Oak St.

He is a firm believer in and booster of Deerwood.

John Cochran arrived from Nisswa today laden with a sack of fish. Some of these fish weighed from 4 to 19 pounds each and were caught in Gull lake.

Mrs. H. H. Sandvig, who has been visiting at Pequot went to St. Paul today and will then continue her journey to her home in Greattinger, Iowa.

Mrs. Fortier and grandson, of Minneapolis, after spending a pleasant visit with Mrs. Matilda Bone, 601 South Sixth street, returned to their homes today.

B. F. Barclay and C. B. Stant, of Tipton, Iowa, arrived in the city yesterday. They are prominent land buyers of Iowa and are inspecting Brainerd and the vicinity.

T. H. Considine, the commercial manager of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., went to Staples today to look after business matters at the Staples exchange.

The many friends of Mrs. Shepherd, of Coner d Alene, Idaho, formerly Miss Vera Nevers, of this city, will be plesed to learn of the arrival of a baby daughter at their home recently.

S. E. Miller, of the Norwood Souvenir Co., of Cincinnati was in the city yesterday. He made arrangements with W. W. Latta to job their line of post cards in this section of the country.

B. B. Hazen, sheriff of Beltrami county, was in the city yesterday to subpoena witnesses in certain cases to be heard at the term of court in Aitkin. He returned to Aitkin early this morning.

The baggage men at the depot had a package yesterday that was a little out of the ordinary. A. K. Lukens shipped a calf to Verndale and the box had to be handled carefully or the calf would object.

The Women's Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. N. Grant, 310 Second Ave., N. E. The program will begin promptly at three o'clock. All ladies are cordially invited.

Contractor Emil Johnson, who has the contract for the construction of the new Phillip's block on 7th street to be constructed by Thos. H. Beare, will arrive in the city tomorrow with a force of men and begin active work at once.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold a special meeting at the residence of Mrs. C. M. Richardson, 823 Kingwood street on Friday evening, May 20. All members are requested to be present as business of great importance is to be considered.

J. C. Barber returned to his business interests in Chicago today. He

Vacation Suits



Just think of it, three months of rough and tumble out of door fun!

That's what your boy will get soon. What do you imagine he will do to his clothes? We've considered the matter and have provided for his vacation wear, lines of moderate priced durable Suits—built on purpose for vacation strenuousness.

\$2.50, \$3.50 to \$5.00

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Boy's Spring Waists and Blouses in great variety, choice new fabrics and new colorings, all sizes.

Shirt Waists, Russian Blouses, Sailor Blouses

Mothers will appreciate our display of waists for there is nothing a boy needs during the summer season more than a good supply of good waists.

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STYLES

Mr. L. S. Zakariassen, the Tailor, is a member of the International Custom Cutters of America, where the best fashions of the country are established, and he makes trips to meetings to mingle with the best Cutters of the Country.

See him for an up-to-date
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Ayer's Hair Vigor is composed of Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinin, Sodium Chloride, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume. Show this to your doctor. Ask him if there is a single injurious ingredient. Ask him if he thinks Ayer's Hair Vigor, as made from this formula, is the best preparation you could use for falling hair, or for dandruff. Let him decide. He knows.

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For the Ladies of the Northland

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This coupon when neatly cut out and mailed or brought to the Contest Department of the Brainerd Dispatch on or before the date published below, will be counted as two votes for the person whose name is filled in.

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WHAT ARE YOU DOING
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BANK ONE DOLLAR A DAY—\$6 a week. This sum and the interest on it, will in twenty years, make you a comfortable fortune. The interest on this fortune will support you the rest of your life.

We pay liberal interest consistent with safety.

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First National Bank Block

Brainerd, Minnesota

Brainerd City Property is selling so fast these days that we find it necessary to continually revise our list. We still have some CHOICE BARGAINS in both vacant lots and HOUSES and LOTS. Here are a few of the many we have on our list:

Five room house and corner lot at 104 Pine St., N. E. Price \$500. \$100 down, then \$15.00 monthly.

Five room house and lot at 106 Pine St. N. E. Price \$450. Easy payments.

Snug cottage at 705 South 5th St., \$750 easy terms.

Small cottage and lots at 919 Grove St. on monthly payments. Price \$600.

House and two lots, corner, 1201 Pine St., S. E., on very easy terms. Price \$800.

A frame house and 50 foot lot at 1610 Norwood. Price \$750 on easy terms.

Brick-veneer house, 9 rooms, lots 50x166 feet, cement walks all in, property in first class condition. This is on 4th Ave. N. E. Price \$1800. See us for terms.

A snug 7 room frame dwelling, lot 50x166 feet, on 4th Ave. N. E. Only \$1400.00.

LOTS, LOTS, LOTS OF LOTS IN ALL PARTS OF THE CITY

Last week we sold 19 lots in N. E. Brainerd, but we still have about 50 left, all good bargains, and the owner says close them out at about one half their value. Size 50x140 feet to an alley. Price \$40.00 to \$60.00 each, on easy monthly payments.

Two nice lots on North 3rd St. \$400 cash for the two.

We have a few calls to EXCHANGE Brainerd city property for good farm lands. What have you to offer? Come in and lets talk the matter over.

NOW, THE LORD WOULD NEVER HAVE GIVEN ADAM AND EVE THE EARTH IF LAND WAS NOT ABSOLUTELY THE BEST INVESTMENT.

We have such a large list of both improved and unimproved lands that we haven't time just now to quote it in detail, but if you are interested and will call, or write us we will furnish you with one of our FREE MAPS of Crow Wing County, and give you checkings and prices.

NOW, "LET'S GO FISHIN'"—We have some great bargains in fine lake fronts on Pelican, Edwards, Cullen, Long, and other lakes, where both land and fishing is good and our prices are right.

FARMS FOR RENT—One right close into the city limits. See us if you want to get back to the land, produce something and solve the High Cost of Living.

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Brainerd, Minnesota

TRIBUTE TO EDISON'S GENIUS

National Electric Light Association's Plan to Honor Inventor.

ONE DAY SET APART FOR HIM.

Industry to Be Represented at Convention in St. Louis Involves an Investment of More Than \$6,000,000,000. Most Costly Exhibit to Be Shown.

To the master genius of the electrical world the electrical interests of the United States will pay homage during the week of May 23, when Edison day will be celebrated in St. Louis.

Representatives of a business which represents over \$6,000,000,000 investment will be gathered in St. Louis from all over the United States to attend the twenty-fifth annual convention of the National Electric Light association, and one day will be set aside in honor of Thomas A. Edison.

In connection with the convention in St. Louis there will be a costly exhibit at the Coliseum hall, designed to show the advance of the last thirty years along lines opened by the inventors, and this exhibition will prove that the greatest proportion of the work of progress in the electrical field is directly traceable to the intellect of Edison.

Some Figures on the Industry.

According to Frank W. Frueauff of New York, who is president of the association, there are now about 6,000 central electric lighting stations in the United States. Of this number over 3,000 of the companies engaged in central station work are also in the electrical supply business, a business that twenty-five or thirty years ago could have been enumerated in two figures.

The central station companies of the United States have an investment of \$1,250,000,000, according to Frueauff. They have a gross income of upward of \$250,000,000 a year, and they develop somewhere between 2,000,000 horse power and 2,500,000 horse power. There is a track mileage of electric and interurban railways of 40,247 miles, using 82,216 cars and representing capital liabilities of \$4,557,000,000.

Credit to Central West.

"The central west must be given credit for the first commercial incandescent lighting distribution system," declares President Frueauff. "Appleton, Wis., is the place. In 1882 a central station for incandescent lighting was put in operation in New York, but about the same time there was a small plant started at Appleton. It was small and could be easily operated, and for that reason it is likely that the Appleton plant started before the New York plant, which was located on Pearl street just south of Fulton street. Soon after these plants opened for business there were plants established in London for exhibition purposes and in Santiago, Chile, and Milan, Italy.

"Frank Sprague made the first serious effort at electric railway work in the United States in 1888, when he started his electric road at Richmond, Va. That same year the first central station was established in Chicago. Edison had built and experimented with a little electric road at Menlo Park, but Sprague's line was the first for commercial purposes. Stephen D. Field had also done some work in connection with electric railways prior to the Richmond road.

Enter the Incandescent.

"Ellhu Thompson, Mr. Brush of Cleveland, Professor Houston and a few others were engaged in the series arc lighting business back in 1879, but that was the only electric light service that the United States knew anything about, although in 1878 Edison's experiments with an incandescent lighting problem were first discussed in the newspapers. That talk brought about an extraordinary fall in the price of gas shares.

"Edison made his first demonstration at Menlo Park of his paper carbon lamp a year later, but not until the summer of 1880 did these experimental lamps find their way outside of his laboratory. In 1881 the newspapers were arguing the question as to whether the great inventor had succeeded in subdividing the electric light or whether he was simply talking.

"The alternating system came into general use about 1886, and prior to that time Edison's three wire system was introduced, and the amount of copper necessary for the direct current system was cut down about 60 per cent, lending a great impetus to the electric lighting business. Then establishments for the sale of apparatus commenced to appear over the United States. However, thirty years ago the only material in the electrical supply line sold was for telegraphic and house bell work. Today the electrical supply business is of national importance.

"In 1879 the first miniature electric railway carrying passengers was put in operation by Siemens & Halske at the Berlin exposition. It was merely an exhibition plant, and not until two years later was a commercial road put in operation in Europe, a mile and a half affair outside of Berlin."

Frueauff believes that the exhibit at the St. Louis convention, showing the various periods of development in the electrical field, will be the most costly ever held in the United States.

HEINZE'S MINING SUCCESSES.

Copper Millionaire Acquitted of Charge of Misapplying a Bank's Funds.

Fritz Augustus Heinze, the copper millionaire and mining engineer who has just been acquitted of the charge of misapplication of the funds of the Mercantile National bank, in New York city, while he was president of it and of the accusation of overcertification of the checks drawn on it by his brother Otto's firm of stockbrokers, was born in Brooklyn on Dec. 5, 1869, and

was educated in the same city.

Mr. Heinze was graduated from Columbia university, the School of Mines, in 1889, when twenty years old, and went to Montana, where he began to acquire mining interests almost at once. These grew with the years, and with his increased interests his power in the western state grew in proportion. He is said to have had many strenuous fights with other interests out there, and one of the assets of the defense at the recent trial was the claim that he had successfully overcome the opposition in Montana of the Standard Oil company and that this opposition was still rampant there.

The holdings of Heinze received a severe setback in 1907 when the Morse crash came, and the Mercantile National bank, of which Heinze was president, was taken over by the New York clearing house and kept on its feet. His remaining interests, as cited by his lawyers at the trial and by witnesses, amount in potential value to about \$40,000,000. He is a member of many clubs, from Montana and Canada to New York city, those to which he belongs in New York being the Lotos, Lambs, Atlantic, Columbia Yacht, Calumet, Downtown and Strollers'. He is also a member of the American Institute of Mining Engineers.

ROOSEVELT AS SPECIAL ENVOY

Precedence He Will Take at Funeral of King Edward VII.

The appointment of former President Theodore Roosevelt as special American ambassador to the funeral of King Edward VII., great Britain's late monarch, will make him one of the big figures in the funeral pageant at London, which will be attended by at least seven European sovereigns, the royal families of all of the houses of Europe and titled representatives of most countries of the world.

Mr. Roosevelt will take precedence with the special envoys of kings. He will precede American Ambassador

Reid, whose place will be with the diplomatic corps.

Mr. Roosevelt will ride with visiting monarchs and other special ambassadors behind the funeral car in the procession through the streets of London and will also attend the burial at Windsor. The regular diplomatic corps will join the procession at the railway station at Windsor and accompany the funeral party to St. George's chapel, being present at the services there.

One of the last acts of King Edward was to approve the arrangements for the dinner which was to have been given for the Roosevelts at Buckingham palace on May 20, the day subsequently selected for the monarch's funeral. King Edward and Queen Alexandra as well as all of the members of the royal family were to have been present at the dinner, and King Edward had expressed the wish that not only Mr. Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt should be guests, but that their children, Ethel and Kermit, should attend. All of the arrangements had been completed for a banquet such as is given to visiting monarchs.

NURSES' TRAINING SCHOOL.

Commemoration of Founding the First One by Florence Nightingale.

In connection with the convention of the American Society of Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses and of the Nurses' Association Alumnae of the United States there will be exercises in Carnegie hall, New York, on May 18 in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding by Florence Nightingale, the famous nurse, of the first training school for nurses in London at St. Thomas' hospital in May, 1860.

The convention will open on the afternoon of the same day in the Horace Mann auditorium of Teachers' college, which will hold a special exhibit of occupations for invalids from May 16 to June 1, also an exhibit of some of the writings of Florence Nightingale in the educational museum.

Among the exhibits of occupations for invalids will be work done in the handicraft shops at Marblehead, Mass., where people who have broken down physically under medical and technical guidance. It is said that the opportunity for quiet work under favorable circumstances frequently does more than medicine or enforced rest to restore human force and vigor. Work of the Illinois Hospitals for the Insane and of the Long Island and Manhattan State hospitals will also be shown.

The Teachers' college has issued a bibliography in connection with the Nightingale exhibit, as well as a biographical sketch of the famous nurse, who is now living at her home in South street, Hyde park, London, and who recently passed her ninetieth birthday.

Michigan Postmistress' Parting Gift.

On retiring recently from her position as assistant postmaster at Carson City, Mich., which she has so ably filled for over four years, Mrs. Ida Ward presented each one of the rural mail carriers with a lock of her hair.

FASTING FOR HEALTH.

Experience of Three Young Women in Garden City, N. Y.

After three days, during which they had only twenty glasses of water and the juice of two oranges and one lemon, the three Garden City (N. Y.) young women who started on Sunday night, May 8, on a seventeen day fast for their health and to cure indigestion, inaugurated a diet on Thursday, May 12, calling for one glass of milk every hour.

"I feel better than I have in a long time," said Mrs. Keith Trask as she filled glasses with milk for herself and Miss Anna Townsend and Miss Marion McKellar, her companions in the fast. "The unusual treatment has benefited us greatly, and I expect that in six

months we will have attained the results we expected when we started to fast."

All three are slender and rather small, but they say there has been no appreciable loss of weight. "And if there has been we will quickly make it up on our milk diet," Mrs. Trask said.

"The first day I was ravenously hungry, the next much less so, and today (Thursday) I have no craving for food. I sat by my husband while he had his breakfast, but it was no temptation to me. Miss McKellar and Miss Townsend were at the table with their families at lunch, and they tell me that they didn't feel any hunger at the sight of the food.

"The first morning I was quite dizzy when I arose, but I drank a glass of water, and it passed away. On the third day I walked a mile and a half to Hempstead. We are trying to avoid excitement and any strain on the nerves. I have slept like a child—better than in years. Miss Townsend was a little restless the first night. Our chief guide is how things affect us. If they agree with us we continue; if not we stop. If the milk doesn't agree with us we will take up a diet of boiled rice and prunes.

"The way we came to do it is this: If you don't feel full of energy or ambition, if everything is an effort for you, the doctors do little to help you. I think these feelings come from the fact that the body is full of poisons. Give nature a rest and let it repair the trouble."

The young women say they will stick to their plan and that a number of their friends intend to do the same if the results are satisfactory to them.

Questioning Grandma.

"Grandma," inquired her little grandson the day of her arrival, "did you sleep on your face last night?" "Of course not, dear. Why do you ask that?" "Cause it's all wrinkled."—Exchange.

Two Awards for One Effort WIN

The Opportunity Week Prize "The \$12.50 Ladies' Suit Case"

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TODAY
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The useful, valuable "Opportunity Week" Prize is a twenty-four inch, leather-lined lady's suit case, made of full stock cowhide, with shirt-waist folds, full solid brass trimmings and straps, valued at and selling for \$12.50. This case is made of the best material obtainable, is perfect in every respect

This handsome prize is one that with a little care will last an ordinary person a lifetime. It is made of the finest leather obtainable and is the finished product of skilled workmen. This case was chosen by Mr. Peterson himself as he considered it the finest one he had in stock and the best value obtainable for the money.

Voting Schedule

THE REGULAR SCHEDULE OF VOTES IS AS FOLLOWS:

Votes will be given on arrears and paid in advance subscriptions to the Daily and Weekly Brainerd Dispatch, according to the following schedule:

DAILY	New	Old	Price
Three Months' Subscription.....	800	400	\$1.00
Six months' subscription.....	2000	1000	2.00
One year subscription.....	5000	2500	4.00
Two years subscription.....	12500	6250	8.00
WEEKLY	New	Old	Price
One Year's Subscription.....	200	100	\$1.00
Two Years' Subscription.....	700	350	2.00
Three Years' Subscription.....	1200	600	3.00
Four Years' Subscription.....	1700	850	4.00
Five Years' Subscription.....	2200	1100	5.00

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Dear Sir:-

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Telephone 74

A Storekeeper Says:

"A lady came into my store lately and said:

"I have been using a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove all winter in my apartment. I want one now for my summer home. I think these oil stoves are wonderful. If only women knew what a comfort they are, they would all have one. I spoke about my stove to a lot of my friends, and they were astonished. They thought that there was smell and smoke from an oil stove, and that it heated a room just like any other stove. I told them of my experience, and one after another they got one, and now, not one of them would give hers up for five times its cost."

The lady who said this had thought an oil stove was all right for quickly heating milk for a baby, or boiling a kettle of water, or to make coffee quickly in the morning, but she never dreamed of using it for difficult or heavy cooking. Now—she knows.

Do you really appreciate what a New Perfection Oil Cook-Stove means to you? No more coal to carry, no more coming to the dinner table so tired that you can't eat. Just light a Perfection Stove and immediately the heat from an intense blue flame shoots up to the bottom of pot, kettle or oven. But the room isn't heated. There is no smoke, no smell, no outside heat, no drudgery in the kitchen where one of these stoves is used.



Cautionary Note: Be sure you get this stove—see that the name-plate reads "New Perfection."

New Perfection WICK BLUE FLAME Oil Cook-stove

It has a Cabinet Top with a shelf for keeping plates and food hot. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

Every dealer everywhere; if not at yours, write for Descriptive Circular to the nearest agency of the

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MARK'S

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Shoe and Clothing House

Special Two Days Sale

We want the buying Public of Brainerd to become thoroughly familiar with our new location at the corner of Seventh and Front Sts., and as a special inducement to accomplish this end, we offer Friday and Saturday a bargain treat that cannot help but appeal to the most economical buyer. All merchandise offered at these special prices is taken from the regular stock (no remnant of any Bankrupt Sale) and consequently insures the buyer of the "Mark's" usual high standard of quality.



Men's \$15.00 Suits

\$10

Friday and Saturday we offer unrestricted choice of any \$15 suit in the house for only \$10—including blue and black serges and cassimeres, and the newest patterns in fancy worsteds. Workmanship and style are beyond criticism, and the fabrics are strictly all wool. Not a suit in the entire assortment made to sell for less than \$15, Special Friday and Saturday

\$10

Exceptional Hat Values

The fellow who has postponed buying his Spring hat until now will have an unusual opportunity to save here, while we are closing out lines which have become broken from the early season's heavy selling. Included at these special prices are all this season's latest shapes in both soft and hard hats.

Hats formerly priced at \$2.00 reduced to \$1.50
Hats that sold all season for \$2.50 now \$2.00
Famous Patterson \$3 Hats—Fri. and Sat. \$2.50



Shoes at Prices that Mean a Saving

It perhaps never occurred to you, but nevertheless, we carry as large a line of Men's, Women's and Children's shoes in the city, and you will readily recognize also, that our lines are the most moderately priced of any in the city. Not a popular style in either low or high shoes is omitted from our stock.

Women's Vici Kid oxfords with patent leather tips, Blucher style.	Special at.....	\$1.50
Women's Vici Kid Shoes with patent tips, Blucher style, made of solid leather, at.....		\$1.29
Men's working shoes, made from good solid mule skin stock	Special at.....	\$1.38
Men's patent leather and tan oxfords made over foot form lasts and from high grade stock at.....		\$2.50

Ladies' Muslin Night Dresses
at Less than Half Price

When removing to our new location, we discontinued handling dry goods to make room for a more extensive stock of clothing and shoes, but have left on hand about 5 dozen Muslin Night Dresses which we will place on sale Friday and Saturday at a tremendous sacrifice.

\$2.00 Night Dresses reduced to 98c
\$1.25 Night Dresses reduced to 48c
\$1.00 Night Dresses reduced to 39c

Special Values in Men's
Summer Furnishings

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, firmly knit from fine combed Egyptian yarn, shirts with collar and neck, and drawers, double seated, sold in every store at 35c per garment, specially priced at.....25c
Men's Negligee Shirts in light patterns with neat figures, workmanship the same as \$1 shirts, special at.....50c
Men's four-in-hand ties, made of pure silk in the season's newest patterns. Priced for Friday and Saturday at.....25c



Cherub Devine

By

SEWELL FORD

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"But I can't, Mr. Binks. You and Coogan have done well. Here, split that between you," and Mr. Devine insinuated a yellow backed note into an anticipatory palm. "Now all you have to do is unchain your man from Mr. Coogan, lead him in here and leave him with me."

"And there ain't no charge?"

"None at all, Mr. Binks. All I want is his company for a few minutes."

"Well, I'm jiggered, I am!"

The bogus count seemed rather meek and subdued. His clothes were wrinkled and dusty, his shirt bosom rumpled, and he was in need of a shave.

With some hesitation he slid into the chair opposite Mr. Devine.

"Whatever your little game was, it's queered," said Mr. Devine. "You fooled me all right, but of course you couldn't fool Mr. Hewington or the countess. What was the idea, anyway?"

"I was just joking. I'm going to make you smart for your share in this, Mr. Cherub Devine."

"Of course you are. That's only natural. You'll bring suit for damages and all that sort of thing, and I'll have to have you arrested on a charge of attempted blackmail, and between us we'll keep the courts busy for a year. I have that all figured out. But what do you say to a good dinner first?"

An involuntary rolling of the eyes toward the menu card betrayed the fact that the suggestion was a pleasing one.

"How would a nice thick sirloin, with mushrooms and baked potatoes, strike you? And a few little necks to start on, eh? Good! Here, waiter!"

Suddenly, however, Mr. Devine asked abruptly:

"Well, got me all sized up? Then let's get down to facts. What's your real bona fide name, anyway?"

The man flushed a little.

"Suppose—and a pair of piercing dark eyes watched for the effect shrewdly—"suppose I came direct from Count Vecchi as his personal rep?"

"Won't do," interrupted Mr. Devine. "unless you can show your pass from the 'old boy.' You see, I know just how long the count's been dead."

"If you had taken the trouble to ask Mr. Hewington he would have told you how mistaken you were."

"Yes, but I'm better posted than Mr. Hewington. There are the latest returns," and the cherub tossed over the last sheet of McQuade's message.

Seeing that further pretense along this line was useless, he merely shrugged his shoulders indifferently.

"I might have known you would find out. But what of it?"

"Why, not much," answered the cherub slowly, "only—only this: Some one's been holding up the old gentleman for remittances ever since the count died, using the count's name. Of course I'm not sure who that somebody was, but the arrow points to you. How about it, eh?"

The man across the table began to think. His air of indifference vanished. He fumbled nervously with the table silver. Inside of two minutes he had broken down completely and was making a full confession, to which Cherub Devine listened with placid satisfaction and indulgent nods of encouragement.

The interview ended amicably. By the time it was over the ex-prisoner had recovered his composure and developed an appetite for sirloin steak; also he had accepted Mr. Devine's offer to become his guest for the night.

And early next morning there arrived at Hewington Acres once more a cheerfully amiable Cherub Devine, who seemed quite unaffected by the forbidding austerity with which Eppings chose to regard him as he inquired for the countess.

After some moments, during which he paced up and down the reception hall, Mr. Devine was shown into the library with as much formality as if this was his first visit. Nor was the attitude of Mr. Hewington as he received the cherub at all reassuring.

"I've been looking up that count of yours," remarked the cherub. "He's been defunct for nearly two years. I had a man investigate the records, and it's all O. K."

"Impossible, Mr. Devine! Why—why—I have been in communication with him."

"That was your mistake. You've been in communication with a smooth young chap who couldn't resist the chance to play a new hunk game for all it was worth. How were the letters signed when they came from the count after he was sent to that sanitarium?"

"By his secretary, I believe, Per F. C. That was it."

"Sure! And the F. C. stood for Francois Cuccetto. I've had a heart to heart talk with Francois and got his whole history. As you might guess by his name, he's half French and half Italian, which is not a bad combination. There was good blood on both sides, but no money on either, so that's why he didn't finish the medical course that he came over here to take. When his funds ran out he goes back to Italy, drifts up into Switzerland and gets a job as assistant house doctor in this sanitarium where they were trying to cure Count Vecchi of seeing pink whiskered tadpoles and other variegated fauna."

"Really, now, Mr. Devine?" protested Mr. Hewington.

"Why shy so at the facts?" asked the cherub. "Count or no count, that was his complaint. Why, his nerves were in such shape he couldn't even sign his name to a letter. And that's where young Dr. Cuccetto was let in. When the count's remittance from you was overdue he dictates a letter to

Francois. He gets him to cash your check, too, and Francois learns the whole story about the runaway countess and her rich father. Then the count dies. A delayed check comes in, and the doctor is tempted to see that the money isn't wasted; also he observes that the passing of the count is kept quiet. It occurs to him that you hadn't been notified of the sad event. That being the case, he sees no reason why the remittances shouldn't continue, so he keeps you posted on the dates when they're due. See how it works out?"

"Why, the scoundrel!" exclaimed Mr. Hewington. "I've been swindled! I shall write to him at once and—"

"No need to write. He's over here. He's coming to call on you this afternoon."

"The impudent rascal! Why, I—I shall have him apprehended!"

"I hope not," said the cherub mildly. "That would complicate things. We didn't treat him very well the last time he was here."

"The last time?" echoed Mr. Hewington.

"Yes. He was the chap we had shut up in the icehouse, you know. He was scouting around to see what style you lived in before he played his cards."

"The unprincipled wretch!"

"He isn't as honest as he might be, but then circumstances have been against him."

"I shall refuse to hear a word from him, sir!" declared Mr. Hewington.

"Now, that's too bad. He's coming to refund the amount he tricked you out of. You see, I've taken him on my private staff and advanced him six months' pay, so he could start square. Isn't that better than getting into a legal snarl with him, eh?"

"But I fail to understand, Mr. Devine. What is your motive in doing this?"

"It has something to do with the countess," he confessed.

"The countess! Pray, Mr. Devine, kindly leave my daughter out of this discussion."

"Not much!" declared the cherub. "Say, you might just as well get used to it now as later. I think a whole lot of your daughter, Mr. Hewington."

"Indeed, sir! Your impudence is astounding. I trust that you are not so presumptuous as to suppose that your—er—your regard is in any measure returned?"

"That just describes the case, Mr. Hewington. At least I'd have some such idea until this fool Francois muddled things up for me. Do you know what he told the countess?"

"I am not interested, sir."

"Maybe not, but I want you to listen, just the same, and I want you to let him tell his revised story to the countess. Why, see here, she thinks I locked that chap up because I was interested in his wife. Says he didn't mean to tell any such yarn, but he was posing as the count, and she couldn't see him, and it just naturally slipped out. Nice position to put me in, wasn't it?"

But Mr. Hewington shook his head mutely.

"But, great Scott!" protested the cherub. "he meant that I was in love with the countess. He'd guessed that much. And, say, he guessed right. I've been in love with her ever since the first minute I saw her, and it's getting worse every hour. I don't know just how it is with her. She's never had a fair chance to say yet, but now that I've found out that count of yours is out of the way I mean to ask her once more if she thinks I'll do."

"Well, Cherub, why don't you?"

From behind a tall revolving bookcase which hid from view a corner of the library appeared the Countess Vecchi, flushed and smiling.

"Adèle!" came from Mr. Hewington. "I've been listening, you see," she confessed. "I couldn't help it. I came in to find father, and I heard you tell—"

"The end."

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mind—or"—and he glanced suggestively at the library door.

Mr. Hewington gasped. From Cherub Devine he looked toward his daughter.

"Oh, run along, daddy," urged the countess.

Mr. Hewington sighed a sigh of resignation and retreated from the scene.

The cherub simply stood there and gazed at the Countess Vecchi. All his audacity and self confidence had vanished. He was gazing wistfully and eagerly at her. Then his gaze found the big brown eyes—found something in them which quickened his blood and gave him hope.

"Adèle," he faltered questioningly, "I know I don't deserve it, but—but—could you—will I do?"

And presently, holding her closely in his arms and looking at shorter range into her brown eyes, he was reasonably sure that he would.

"Guess I never knew what it was to be happy before, anyway," he whispered.

"Nor I, Cherub, dear," said the Countess Vecchi.

THE END.

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An international conference will be held in Christiania, Norway, on May 19 to determine on a form of government for Spitzbergen. The United States has accepted an invitation sent out by the Norwegian government to participate. The state department at Washington takes the position that Spitzbergen is no man's land. There are extensive coal fields there in which American citizens are interested. Sweden, Russia, Great Britain, Germany and Denmark have also been invited to send representatives to the conference. The delegates will draw up a form of government for the protection of property and game. It is probable that an international protectorate will be established under the supervision of one or two countries nearest to Spitzbergen.

Changing Niagara.

Any one who was familiar with the appearance of the Niagara falls before the present power installations were built and opened can settle the question as to whether the appearance of the falls has been affected by going to see for himself. Small though the total amount of water taken for power purposes in proportion to the total amount passing over the falls may be, it has been sufficient to cause the shallower portions of the overfall at the edges of the falls to become entirely dry, thereby greatly reducing the total length of the crest line.

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L. E. WILSON APPOINTED CHIEF

Commercial Club Considers the Humphrey Livery—Members Make Him a Fair Offer

Deerwood, Minn., May 18—

The Deerwood village council held a special meeting May 13th in the Brand block. Village President J. H. Hage, Trustees Anderson, Carlson and Taylor, and the clerk, F. E. Oberg were present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The bill of Andrew Carlson for grading streets, for \$6.75, was allowed.

A motion carried to grant licenses to Herman Peterson and A. B. Taylor to conduct malt shops for six months.

L. E. Wilson was appointed chief of the fire department.

G. A. Anderson and Oscar J. Carlson were appointed to act with Dr. Reid as a board of health.

A motion carried to purchase ten gasoline lights. These will be placed in the business portion of the city.

The Deerwood village council held a special meeting on May 17th in the Brand block.

President Hage, Trustees Carlson and Anderson and Clerk F. E. Oberg were present. Trustee Taylor was absent.

The motion carried to grant a 6 month's license to Frank L. Johnson to sell malt liquor in the Deerwood hotel.

The report of the fire committee was accepted.

The resolution covering the profile of elevation of Archibald and Forest road, as shown by the profile submitted by Wilson Bradley, was adopted with the exception of lowering the south end of Archibald road from the Northern Pacific right of way to make the drainage north.

The council passed on this point and decided to raise the grade here six inches.

The commercial club of Deerwood held its regular meeting Monday night, H. J. Ernster, vice-president of the organization, presiding.

The park committee reported that the petition addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Cuyler Adams had not been granted.

N. P. Emil Carlson tendered the club a launch ride at some date to be agreed upon. This ride was to give the members a chance to view all locations for a park site.

The committee on schools did not report.

The design for the 100,000 litho-

graphed envelopes as originally submitted by Dr. Reid had a few minor changes added and was then sent to the lithographing firm in Minneapolis.

In regard to the Humphrey livery barn matter, the chairman at the request of Dr. Reid appointed two commissioners, F. L. Pitt and E. A. Lamb to look up a suitable site for a livery stable. To further save Mr. Humphrey any more trouble in the matter H. J. Hage offered to buy back the lots which Mr. Humphrey intended to use as a stable and give him the price he had paid for them.

Alfred W. Uhl, of St. Paul, the attorney, is now located in the Brand block. Mr. Uhl formerly practiced in St. Paul and is a graduate of the academic and law school departments of the University of Minnesota.

H. H. Hitch of the Hitch Fuel and Cement Co., was in the city relative to business connected with his cement work.

Charles Osterlund and N. P. Emil Carlson accompanied Frank Oberg on a trip to Minneapolis in his E. M. P. automobile.

Dr. H. G. Ingersoll, the Brainerd dentist, has established his offices in the Brand block and will be there every Wednesday to attend to dental work.

Carl Holmgren, of Hense & Holmgren, has removed his family to Deerwood. He has built a handsome residence in the western part of the town.

H. J. Hage went to McGregor today.

Plans are being drawn for the First National bank building of Deerwood. Architect King, of Minneapolis, has submitted plans. The building, when completed, will be of brick and one story in height.

John Ernster, of Callaway, Minn., has been visiting his son, H. J. Ernster, cashier of the First National Bank of Deerwood.

Mons Mahlum, of the Mahlum Lumber company, was in the city today on business, then continued on to Scanlon.

A. F. Engstrom, the contractor, is erecting a one story residence, 24x26 for Peter Moe.

Wm. J. Perkins, of Hibbing, is the new mining engineer who has located in the Brand block.

C. J. O'Connell, of Minneapolis, is the analytical chemist who is about to open his new assay office in Deerwood.

Dan Erickson, unmarried, died of tuberculosis last Friday. The funeral was held on Monday, May 16th, from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Erickson. Interment was in the Scandinavian cemetery.

Culver Adams is reported sick. Douglas Cunningham broke the bones in his ankle while wrestling with his cousin. The accident will incapacitate him from work for a month or more.

T. W. Musser stopped off at Deerwood this week and visited at Crosby.

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DID THE COMET LOSE ITS TAIL

Special to The Dispatch—Washington, 1:30 P. M.—According to reports from observations all over the world the earth did not pass through the tail of the comet last night. Tail was still visible in eastern sky before dawn this morning. Astronomers of the world are reported dumbfounded. Some say the tail may be detached.

PUTS HIM TO SLEEP

Charlie Kinkele Informs His Employers that he Oversleeps on Account of the Comet

The St. Paul Dispatch is responsible for the following on a former Brainerdite:—The approach of Halley's comet makes Charlie Kinkele, 1011 Leech Lake, Minn., sleep. He blames it upon the gas of the comet's tail. Also, he says it's the bloom-in' comet that has broken his log boom. Nevertheless, he sleeps, something unusual, he says, when his boom breaks. All this and more he charges to the comet in a communication, worded most seriously, to B. F. Nelson of Minneapolis, president of the lumber company.

Mr. Nelson, in reply, wrote that the comet was approaching rapidly and that both the alarm clock and the boom would better be strengthened materially.

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R. W. Block Interviewed

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HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

Consider the Question of a Permanent Organization, Annual Banquet and Other Matters

On Tuesday evening, May 17th, the members of the local high school alumni met in the high school room to consider the question of an Alumni banquet, permanent organization, and other matters of interest. A larger attendance was present than was anticipated and considerable interest was manifested by the members present.

It was estimated that from seventy-five to one hundred graduate of the high school are now residing in Brainerd and it seemed to those present that the first question to be considered was whether the resident alumni would be interested in the banquet and reunion idea, to the extent of purchasing a ticket and attending.

A committee was appointed to sound the sentiment of the resident alumni on the point. Another committee was appointed to ascertain from various sources on what terms per plate a banquet could be served, as well as terms on hall, music, etc.

Another committee was appointed to suggest a plan of program and entertainment for the evening and report at the next meeting, which is called for next Tuesday evening in the high school assembly room at 8:30 p. m., at which time it is hoped there will be a good attendance.

It is estimated that the assembly room of the high school will be large enough to seat the members, by seating two on a seat.

A committee has been appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws and report at the next meeting.

The conference last evening was purely informal and no final action will be taken until the committees report and their reports are considered and acted upon by the members present next Tuesday evening.

Charles T. Gunderson Funeral

Charles T. Gunderson, who died under such tragic circumstances last Wednesday near Cambridge will be buried at two o'clock on Saturday afternoon, May 21. The funeral will be from Losey & Dean's undertaking parlors, Rev. C. Hougstad of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church officiating.

Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

County Commissioner Edquist, an old neighbor and friend of the deceased is looking after his personal effects and attending to the funeral arrangements.

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New Books for Library

Another shipment of children's books has just arrived from the Minnesota Library Commission. These together with the books shown at the public library last Friday, give an opportunity to all of seeing some of the best publications for children.

It is conferring a doubtful benefit upon a child to teach him to read if he is allowed to read everything he lays his hands on. There is a tendency these days for parents to throw too much responsibility on the teachers. Children whose parents do not know what they are doing out of school hours are apt to get into bad ways of kind or another. Parents should see to it that the reading their children do in leisure hours is good. Surely it is worth a little time and attention to clothe a child's mind decently as you would his body. Come to the library and see what our state is doing to help parents, teachers, and librarians to choose what is pure, good, instructive and delightfully entertaining.

It is not necessary that children pore over the so-called funny pages of the daily papers till their taste deteriorates and they take pleasure in vulgarity.

The books at the library are not for sale but on exhibition and are from those most beautifully illustrated to those within the reach of every purse. There are suggestive lists too for free distribution.

Mrs. Follet, the librarian, will be in charge and it is hoped that not only the mothers who have been showing their interest in the work of the library by sending their children to the story hour, will avail themselves of this opportunity but many others. The library will be opened on Friday from two to 5:30, especially for the exhibition. Parents are cordially urged to come during the early part of the afternoon, if possible, the teachers coming in later. Children coming with parents will be taken charge of down stairs from two o'clock till 5:30.

Notice

All members of the M. W. A. are requested to meet at Odd Fellows hall on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock to attend the funeral of John R. Britton.

H. SQUIRES.

Notice

All members of the Riverside Gun club are requested to meet at Smith Bros. office on Friday, May 20th, at 7:30, to arrange for our tournament. H. L. PAINE, Secy. 29712



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DIVISION BY DISTRICTS.

In order that the competition and prizes may be more equally divided, the field covered by The Brainerd Dispatch has been apportioned into five prize districts.

DISTRICTS AND PRIZES

MAMMOTH PRIZE—The \$1050.00 Model 10 Buick will be awarded to the lady receiving the highest number of votes in the entire contest.

CAPITAL PRIZE—The \$500.00 Stone piano will be awarded the lady receiving the second highest number of votes in the entire contest.

GRAND PRIZE—The \$100.00 Twin Diamond ring will be awarded to the lady receiving the third highest number of votes in the entire contest.

DISTRICT NO. 1

Comprises all the territory south of the N. P. tracks and west of Broadway including the west side of Broadway. The lady receiving the highest number of votes in this district, after the Mammoth Capital and Grand prizes have been awarded, will receive one of the \$60.00 scholarships.

Emma Whitford.....	2145
Norma Brady.....	145
Miss F. L. Smith.....	135
Mamie Peters.....	100
Francis Quinn.....	100
Olive Britton.....	100
Dorothy Saunders.....	100
Alice Halquist.....	100
Dollie Mahlum.....	100
Mary Sentil.....	100
Olive Lagerquist.....	100
Gertrude Peterson.....	100
Agnes Bidwell.....	100
Mrs. Geo. Hess.....	100
Mrs. H. McGinn.....	100
Mrs. A. Mark.....	100
Mrs. W. T. Larabee.....	100
Mrs. Geo. West.....	100
Mrs. Billings.....	100
Jennie Hoerner.....	100

DISTRICT NO. 2

Comprises all the territory north of the N. P. tracks and west of the Ravine that divides Brainerd from Northeast Brainerd. The lady receiving the highest number of votes in this district after the Mammoth Capital and Grand prizes have been awarded, will receive one of the \$60.00 scholarships; second highest will receive one of the \$25 watches.

Bessie Paine.....	10300
Zulo Burogaye.....	1285
Kathleen Rounds.....	670
Bertha Mahlum.....	655
Amorita Theviot.....	248
Irma Cochran.....	165
Mrs. W. C. Cobb.....	145
Grace Carlson.....	100
Maybelle Grewcox.....	100
Mrs. Chas. Hoffman.....	100
Mrs. Julius Deering.....	100
Mrs. Carl Zapffe.....	100
Bessie Murphy.....	100
Mrs. R. J. Hartley.....	100
Mrs. H. L. Jones.....	100
Mrs. A. T. Larson.....	100
Mrs. J. H. Long.....	100
Mrs. J. K. Pearce.....	100
Mrs. J. P. Anderson.....	100
Maggie Atherton.....	100
Mrs. Geo. Brown.....	100
Mamie Cullen.....	100
Clara Small.....	100
Winnie Small.....	100
Kittie Johnson.....	100
Cornia Stickney.....	100
Eloise Smith.....	100

DISTRICT NO. 3

Comprises all the territory east of the Ravine dividing Brainerd which is known as Northeast Brainerd.

The lady receiving the highest number of votes in this district after the Mammoth, Capital and Grand prizes have been awarded will receive one of the \$60.00 Scholarships second highest will receive one of the \$25.00 watches.

Evelyn Pirie.....	931
Maud Arnold.....	165
Mrs. William E. Wilson.....	151
E. Mae Warner.....	150
Mrs. Geo. Forsythe.....	135
Mary Hogan.....	105
Mrs. Ed. Cullen.....	100
Kittie Poppenberg.....	100
Alma Schultz.....	100
Maud Wilson.....	100
Alice O'Connor.....	100
Blanche Lane.....	100
Mrs. J. W. Stearns.....	100
Mrs. C. H. Ritter.....	100
Aletta Saltee.....	100
Mrs. J. S. Murphy.....	100
Mary Scallan.....	100
Mrs. E. Forsberg.....	100
Marion Halladay.....	100
Rose Poppenberg.....	100

DISTRICT NO. 4

Comprises all the territory east of Broadway and south of the N. P. tracks, including the east side of Broadway. The lady receiving the highest number of votes in this district after the Mammoth Capital and Grand Prizes have been awarded will receive one of the \$60.00 Scholarships. The second highest, one of the \$25.00 watches.

Ann Grand.....	327
Gerda Peterson.....	272
Miss Amy Zakariassen.....	159
Gertrude Koop.....	153
Mabel O'Brien.....	152
Esther Lind.....	126
Miss Sigrid Headman.....	100
Katherine Dunn.....	100
Mrs. P. D. O'Brien.....	100
Henrietta C. Erickson.....	100

Mrs. A. M. Opsahl.....	100
Agnes Sundine.....	100
Mabel Smith.....	100
Pearl Roderick.....	100
Mamie McGarry.....	100
Ella McGarry.....	100
Hilda Liljendahl.....	100
Mary Headman.....	100
Lulu Huseman.....	100
Mattie Shanks.....	100
Mary Hurley.....	100
Nora Hurley.....	100
Emily Anderson.....	100
Anna Anderson.....	100
Alma Brown.....	100
Sigrid Carlson.....	100
Ruby Eckholm.....	100
Nellie Canfield.....	100
Mrs. Con O'Brien.....	100

DISTRICT NO. 5

Comprises all the territory outside of the incorporate limits of the city of Brainerd. The lady receiving the highest number of votes in this district after the Mammoth Capital and Grand prizes have been awarded will receive one of the \$60.00 scholarships. The second highest, one of the \$25.00 watches.

Jessie May Liebold, Deerwood.....	900
Lillian Hage, Deerwood.....	685
Mrs. A. Q. Parker, Crosby.....	165
Irma Warner, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. T. F. Cole, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Iverson, Crosby.....	100
Mrs. B. B. Gaylord, Crosby.....	100
Mrs. Buchanan, Cuyuna.....	100
Lina Brues, St. Paul.....	100
Anna C. Austin, Pequot.....	100
Margaret Torgenson, Deerwood.....	100
Dora Chase, Walker.....	100
Gladys Davis, Walker.....	100
Ethel Porter, Crow Wing.....	100
Mrs. Cuyler Adams, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Culver Adams, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. H. Adams, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. R. Archibald, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. W. Archibald, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. O. C. Coffin, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. R. B. Coffin, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. W. A. Hall, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. O. L. Reid, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Wassiez, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. F. Smith, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. McCarvel, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. T. Taylor, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. O. Cunningham, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. H. Rhinold, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. F. Prints, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Hale, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. A. March, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. McCoffin, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. F. Engman, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. G. Erickson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. McGee, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Hiljar, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. B. Wright, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Clara O. Wilson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. A. Haglund, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. E. Wick, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. V. Wickstrom, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. O. Carlson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Lemay, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. Olson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. T. Cole, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Kruse, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Palmer, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Humphrey, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Macumber, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. L. Sall, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. W. Burton, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. M. Seaving, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. W. Bierman, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. P. K. Weitzel, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. H. J. Ernster, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. J. Brindos, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. F. L. Pitt, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. F. Moore, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Searles, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Oberg, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. Oberg, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. P. Brand, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. D. E. Whitten, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. J. Rathvon, Deerwood.....	100
Miss M. Morford, Deerwood.....	100
Amy Howe, Deerwood.....	100

Mrs. J. A. Hale, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. A. March, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. McCoffin, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. F. Engman, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. G. Erickson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. McGee, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. J. Hiljar, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. B. Wright, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. Clara O. Wilson, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. A. Haglund, Deerwood.....	100
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Mrs. C. Olson, Deerwood.....	100
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Mrs. J. Palmer, Deerwood.....	100
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Mrs. P. Brand, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. D. E. Whitten, Deerwood.....	100
Mrs. C. J. Rathvon, Deerwood.....	100
Miss M. Morford, Deerwood.....	100
Amy Howe, Deerwood.....	100

In case of a tie vote between any two or more Contestants, The Brainerd Dispatch wishes to announce that the prize their vote ties them for will be divided equally among them, or in any manner that said Contestant may agree upon that is satisfactory to each and all of them.

An Ideal Husband

is patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells, she needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used them and become healthy and happy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

Comet Cause of Suicide.

Calumet, Mich., May 19.—Brooding, it is said, over the possible destruction of the earth, through collision with Halley's comet, Gustave Kaiser, aged seventy-two, a retired miner of Rockland, hanged himself in a chicken house. He leaves a wife and a large family.

Muralto, the sanitary wall finish, is better than wall paper. D. M. Clark & Co. 252tf
Heath & Milligan paints are the best. We sell it. D. M. Clark & Co. 252tf

Auto Race Planned.

Minot, N. D., May 19.—Fully eighty automobile owners are expected to enter in competition for the cup that has been offered by President A. W. Tracy of the Minot Commercial club for a speed run between this city and Lake Upsilon, near St. John, in Rolette county. This run will be made about June 10 and is open to all autoists of the western part of the state.

Certificate of Incorporation of the Brainerd Realty Company

Know all men by these presents, That We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and by virtue of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Minnesota, and particularly Chapter 58 of the Revised Laws of Minnesota of 1905, and all laws amendatory of or supplementary thereto, do hereby associate ourselves together under the name, and in the manner and for the purposes hereinafter set forth:

I. The name of this corporation shall be the Brainerd Realty Company. The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be, the buying, leasing, holding, selling, renting, mortgaging, and otherwise disposing of real estate, and hereditaments of any and every character, wherever situated, and the doing of all things necessary in and incident to the conducting of a general real estate business. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be the City of Brainerd, County of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota.

II. The period of the duration of this corporation shall be thirty years.

III. The names and places of residence of the incorporators are as follows: M. K. Swartz, residing at Brainerd, Minnesota; C. A. Knippenberg, residing at Duluth, Minnesota; F. A. Edson, residing at Deerwood, Minnesota.

IV. The management of this corporation and its business and affairs shall be vested in a Board of five directors, who shall be stockholders, and who shall be selected at the annual meeting of the stockholders, which meeting shall be held on the second Wednesday in January of each year; and until the first annual meeting of the directors shall be elected and each year, the following persons shall be, and shall exercise the authority of, directors: M. K. Swartz, residing at Brainerd, Minnesota; C. A. Knippenberg, residing at Duluth, Minnesota; F. A. Edson, residing at Deerwood, Minnesota.

V. The capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars to be paid in as called for by the Board of Directors, and to be divided into two thousand five hundred (2500) shares of the par value of one dollar each, all of which stock shall be of one class, and each share thereof to be entitled to one non-cumulative vote at all meetings of the stockholders.

VI. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to be incurred by the corporation at any time, shall be Ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars.

VII. The officers of this corporation shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers as may be deemed necessary, who may see fit to elect, and one person may hold the office of Secretary or Assistant Secretary, or Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer. The officers shall be chosen by the Board of Directors from their number at a meeting to be held immediately after the closing of the stockholders, and until the first regular officers of this corporation shall be elected, and the said officers, when elected, the following persons shall hold the following offices respectively: M. K. Swartz, President; C. A. Knippenberg, Vice-President; F. A. Edson, Secretary and Treasurer.

All officers and directors shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified.

In Witness Whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 20th day of April, 1910.

M. K. SWARTZ, (Seal)
C. A. KNIPPENBERG, (Seal)
F. A. EDSON, (Seal)

In the presence of:
MILTON MCADDEN,
GILBERT W. CHADBOURNE.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.

On this 20th day of April A. D. 1910, before me a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared M. K. Swartz, C. A. Knippenberg and F. A. Edson, to me known to be the persons described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

(Seal) MILTON MCADDEN,
Notary Public, County of Crow Wing, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 20th, 1916.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1910, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book 83 of Incorporations on page 749.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record this 5th day of May A. D. 1910 at 10 o'clock A. M. and recorded in Book 83 of Misc. on page 327.

(Seal) A. G. TROMMALD,
Register of Deeds.

Disappointment at a Reception.

Departing Visitor (disappointed)—

Hang it, I've got my own hat, after all!

—London M. A. P.

Leave your order at 701 10th St.

So, for anything of any kind made of wood. We also do repair work.

We are now prepared to do job work at short notice.

The old flour mill site.

280-1m-4-29 E. J. RHONE.

His Choice.

Lady (to Irish gardener, who "obliges" by the day)—Well, Dan, and what do I owe you for today? Dan—Sure, ma'am, I'd sooner be taking the 5 shillings you'd be offering me than the 2 shillings I'd be asking of you.—London Sketch.

A Man Wants To Die

only when a lazy liver and sluggish bowels cause frightful distension. But Dr. King's New Life Pills expel poisons from the system; bring hope and courage; cure all liver, stomach and kidney troubles; impart health and vigor to the weak, nervous and ailing. 25c at all druggists.

TENTH CONVENTION ENDED

Club Women Conclude Their Meeting at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, May 19.—"Twenty Years of Retrospect and Action" was the theme at the closing session of the tenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs here. The day was the busiest of the entire session of the convention as well as the most interesting.

The afternoon was taken up in various social conferences.

The principal address was made by Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker of Colorado, who took as her subject "Tomorrow—An Outlook Into the Future." She followed Mrs. Joseph P. Mumford of Pennsylvania and Mrs. J. L. Washburn of Minnesota. Mrs. Washburn spoke on "Today—Its Spirit and Opportunity."

The convention city will be chosen later.

Don't Get Run Down

Weak and miserable. If you have kidney or bladder trouble, dull head pains, dizziness, nervousness, pains in the back and feel tired all over, take a package of Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf, the pleasant herb cure. It never fails. We have the testimony of a man, a well-known person who has used this wonderful remedy. As a regulator it has no equal. Ask for it at all druggists. It is sold at drug stores or sent by mail for 50 cts. Sample FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Certificate of Incorporation

For the purpose of forming a corporation under the General Laws of the State of Minnesota, the undersigned do adopt their Certificate of Incorporation in the form of the Articles following:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation is and shall be Brainerd Improvement Company.

ARTICLE II.

The general nature of the corporation's business will be erecting buildings, the purchase and sale of lands and tenements and of money obligations secured upon real or personal property, acquiring, improving, selling and leasing lands and tenements of every kind and nature, including coal, iron, copper and other mineral, as well as non-mineral, lands, water-powers, stream and water-rights and interests, and loaning money for itself and as agent for others upon mortgage or other securities.

ARTICLE III.

The principal place of transacting the business of the corporation shall be the City of Brainerd, in the County of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE IV.

The time of commencement of the corporation shall be May 14, A. D. 1910, and the period of its duration shall be thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE V.

The capital stock of the corporation shall be One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) which shall be paid in as called for by the Board of Directors at such times and upon such conditions as shall be determined and signified by the Board of Directors. The capital stock shall be divided into one thousand (1000) shares of the par value of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) each.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00).

ARTICLE VII.

The names and places of residence of the incorporators are as follows: R. R. Wise, H. W. Holland, F. A. Farrar, G. D. LaBar, W. D. McKay, H. H. Baker and D. M. Clark, all residing at Brainerd, County of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE VIII.

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a board of seven (7) directors, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders, which meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday of May, in each year, commencing with the year 1910. The first annual meeting of the directors shall be held on the first Tuesday of May, 1910. The officers shall be chosen by the Board of Directors from their number at a meeting to be held immediately after the closing of the stockholders, and until the first regular officers of this corporation shall be elected, and the said officers, when elected, the following persons shall hold the following offices respectively: R. R. Wise, President; H. W. Holland, Vice-President; F. A. Farrar, Secretary and Treasurer.

All officers and directors shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified.

In Witness Whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 20th day of April, 1910.

M. K. SWARTZ, (Seal)
C. A. KNIPPENBERG, (Seal)
F. A. EDSON, (Seal)

In the presence of:
MILTON MCADDEN,
GILBERT W. CHADBOURNE.

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, ss.

On this 20th day of April A. D. 1910, before me a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared R. R. Wise, H. W. Holland, F. A. Farrar, G. D. LaBar, W. D. McKay, H. H. Baker and D. M. Clark, to me known to be the persons described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

(Seal) MILTON MCADDEN,
Notary Public, County of Crow Wing, Minn.
My commission expires April 28th, A. D. 1916.